



June 8, 2011

Re: Project #20110045
Removal of Fishing Catwalks at Rickenbacker Causeway Bear Cut Bridge

Dear Sir or Madam:

The above-referenced contract is being considered for a CSBE subcontractor goal recommendation for painting of structural steel. If you are interested in participating as a CSBE to perform work in connection with this project and meet the requirements stated herein, please complete and return all pages of the attached verification of availability to bid and a copy of your SSPC Certification **by Monday, June 13, 2011 by 11:00 A.M.**

Please review the enclosed description of the project.

The letter of availability may be sent via E-MAIL to kellyd@miamidade.gov. It may also be sent via facsimile transmission to **(305) 375-3160**. If you have any questions, please contact me at (305) 375-3136.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kelly Duncombe".

Kelly Duncombe
Contract Development Specialist 2
Department of Business Development
Miami-Dade County

VERIFICATION OF AVAILABILITY TO BID

DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT
COMMUNITY SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM
111 N.W. 1ST STREET, 19th FLOOR
MIAMI, FLORIDA 33128
PHONE: 375-3111 FAX: 375-3160

PROGRAM COORDINATOR: **Kelly Duncombe**

I am herewith submitting this letter of verification of availability and capability to bid, provided the proposed scope of work attached. (**NOTE:** Please provide all the information requested; incomplete and/or incorrect verifications are not acceptable or usable.)

CONTRACT TITLE: Removal of Fishing Catwalks at Rickenbacker Causeway Bear Cut Bridge

PROJECT NUMBER: RPQ No. 20110045

Estimated Contract Amount: \$ 317,489.04

NAME OF COMMUNITY SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (CSBE)

ADDRESS

CITY

ZIP CODE

Certification Expires: _____
DATE

Telephone: _____ Bonding Capacity: _____

PRINT NAME AND TITLE

SIGNATURE OF COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE

DATE

FOR BONDING PURPOSES:

Currently Awarded Projects	Project Completion Date	Anticipated Awards

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SCOPE OF WORK:

The work to be performed under this contract includes furnishing all supervision, labor, materials, tools, equipment and performing all operations required to perform the work in accordance with the Contract Documents.

Work includes, but is not limited to the complete demolition, removal and appropriate disposal of the existing Catwalk adjacent to the Bear Cut Bridge on the Rickenbacker Causeway. This includes all of the Catwalk elements and attached appurtenances such as pipes, fencing, etc. The work also includes the necessary preparation, transportation and disposal of demolition materials off site as indicated in the Contract Documents.

NAME OF COMMUNITY SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE (CSBE)

PRINT NAME AND TITLE

SIGNATURE OF COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE

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Detailed Scope of Work:

Work under this contract includes furnishing all supervision, labor, materials, tools, equipment and performing all operations required to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.

Work includes but is not limited to the complete demolition, removal and appropriate disposal of the existing Catwalk adjacent to the Bear Cut Bridge on the Rickenbacker Causeway. This includes all of the Catwalk elements and attached appurtenances such as pipes, fencing, etc. The work also includes the necessary preparation, transportation and disposal of demolition materials off site as indicated in the Contract Documents.

Contractor's Certification Requirements:

Contractor Certifications:

A. Contractor Certification:

1. At the time of Bid and pursuant to the requirements of Section 10-3 of the Code of Miami-Dade County, Florida and these Solicitation and Contract Documents, the Bidder must hold a valid, current, and active:
 - a. Certificate of Competency from the County's Construction Trades Qualifying Board as a General Engineering Contractor or as a Specialty Engineering Contractor, commensurate to the requirements of the Scope of Work, in one or more engineering crafts to include, structural engineering contractor. The specialty contractor shall subcontract with a qualified contractor any work which is incidental to the specialty but which is specified in the aforementioned Code as being the work of other than that of the Engineering Specialty for which certified.

Experience Requirement:

The Bidder, through full time personnel employed by the Bidder, must demonstrate a minimum of five years of continual experience as the prime contractor in projects with scopes comparable to the Project Scope of Work. Demonstrate the experience requirement by:

Providing a detailed description of completed projects, similar to the Project Scope of Work, in which the Bidder is currently engaged or has completed within the past ten years. List and describe those projects performed for government clients, similar size private entities, and any work performed for the County. The description should identify for each project (1) the client, (2) description of work, (3) total dollar value of the contract, (4) contract duration, (5) customer contact person and phone number for reference, (6) statement or notation of whether Bidder is/was the prime contractor or subcontractor, and (7) the results of the project; or

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Pursuant to Section 255.20, F.S., the County may consider a bid from a Bidder that is a duly licensed Contractor in good standing, which has been prequalified and considered eligible by the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) under Section 337.14, F.S. and Chapter 14-2, Florida Administrative Code, to perform the work described in the Contract Documents. Contractors seeking consideration under this Paragraph shall submit along with the Bid Documents for review and consideration, current copy (ies) of their FDOT Certificate(s) of Qualification in the Minor Bridge Work Class, Certification of Work Underway, and Status of Contract(s) On Hand.

INSURANCE TO BE CARRIED BY CONTRACTOR

- A. Worker's Compensation Insurance as required by Chapter 440, Florida Statutes, including, if applicable, coverage under the U.S. Longshoremen and Harbor Workers' Act and Jones Act coverage.
- B. Commercial General Liability /Marine Liability Insurance on a comprehensive basis in an amount not less than \$1,000,000 combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage. Miami-Dade County must be shown as an additional insured with respect to this coverage.
- C. Automobile Liability Insurance covering all owned, non-owned and hired vehicles used in connection with the work, in an amount not less than \$300,000 combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage.
- D. Hull and Protection and Indemnity Insurance, in an amount not less than \$1,000,000 covering combined single limit per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage. Miami-Dade County must be shown as an additional insured with respect to this coverage

All insurance policies required above shall be issued by companies authorized to do business under the laws of the State of Florida, with the following qualifications:

The company must be rated no less than "B" as to management, and no less than "Class V" as to financial strength, by A.M. Best Company, Oldwick, New Jersey, or its equivalent, subject to the approval of the County Risk Management Division.

or

The company must hold a valid Florida Certificate of Authority as shown in the latest "List of All Insurance Companies Authorized or Approved to Do Business in Florida" issued by the State of Florida Department of Financial Services and are members of the Florida Guaranty Fund.

and

- Any Protection and Indemnity Mutual which is a member of the International Group of Protection and Indemnity insurers (Applies to Protection and Indemnity as required in D above).

Engineer's Opinion of Probable Construction Cost

Removal of Fishing Catwalk at Rickenbacker Causeway Bear Cut Bridge

Engineer's Opinion of Probable Costs

Miami-Dade County Project No. 20090318

ITEM	PAY ITEM NUMBER	PAY ITEM DESCRIPTION	UNIT	QUANTITY	UNIT COST	TOTAL AMOUNT
1	101.1	Mobilization	LS	1	\$ 25,399.12	\$25,399.12
2	102-1A	Maintenance of Traffic (Including all costs for labor and materials to install, relocate, maintain and remove all traffic control throughout the duration of the project as well as any MOT work/expenses not specifically covered by/identified in this and any other MOT pay items)	LS	1	\$ 15,000.00	\$15,000.00
3	102-14	Traffic Control Officer - Flaggers	HR	60	\$ 50.00	\$3,000.00
4	102-60A	Work Zone Signs	ED	240	\$ 4.00	\$960.00
5	102-74.1	Temporary Barricade (Type I, II, DI, VP & Drums)	ED	2,400	\$ 5.00	\$12,000.00
6	102-76	Flashing Arrow Board (Temporary, Multimode)	ED	20	\$ 6.00	\$120.00
7	102-76A	Advance Warning Arrow Panel	ED	20	\$ 6.00	\$120.00
8	102-89.7	Temporary Crash Cushion, Redirective Option	LO	1	\$ 1,500.00	\$1,500.00
9	102-99	Variable Message Sign (Temporary)	ED	20	\$ 15.00	\$300.00
10	104-11	Floating Silt Barrier (Includes maintenance, relocation and removal) (This item is contingent upon field conditions and may be increased, decreased or eliminated by the Engineer)	LF	1,200	\$6.25	\$7,500.00
11	110-3	Removal of Existing Structure (Includes all costs associated with the demolition, removal and disposal of all catwalk elements as identified. Underwater debris removal for collapsed sections of catwalk shall be included. Cost of epoxy repairs to remaining bridge caps shall be included in this pay item)	LS	1	\$220,000.00	\$220,000.00
SUBTOTAL CONSTRUCTION COST						\$285,899.12
ALLOWANCES						
12	999	Contingency Fund (10% of Subtotal)				\$28,589.91
13	102-10A	Law Enforcement Officer				\$2,000.00
14	990	Allowance Permits				\$1,000.00
TOTAL ALLOWANCES						\$31,589.91
GRAND TOTAL CONSTRUCTION COST						\$317,489.04